

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

1. (original) A cable brake for a speed limiter for lifts, wherein the cable brake comprises two brake blocks, each of the brake blocks being of a different material.

2. (original) The cable brake according to claim 1, characterized in that one brake block is of aluminum-bronze and the other brake block is of nodular cast iron or soft cast iron.

3. (original) The cable brake according to claim 2, characterized in that the brake comprises a movable and a non-movable brake block, the non-movable brake block being of nodular cast iron or soft cast iron and the movable brake block being of aluminum-bronze.

4. (original) The cable brake according to claim 2, characterized in that the brake comprises a movable and a non-movable brake block, non-movable brake block being of aluminum-bronze and the movable brake block being of nodular cast iron or soft cast iron.

5. (original) The cable brake according to claim 1, characterized in that one of the two brake blocks consists of a ceramic-containing material.

6. (currently amended) The cable brake according to claim 1, characterized in that one of the two brake blocks comprises a ceramic-containing material ~~containing~~ and the other brake block comprises aluminum-bronze, nodular cast iron or soft cast iron.

7. (original) A cable brake for a speed limiter for lifts, wherein the cable brake comprises two brake blocks characterized in that the brake blocks each comprise a ceramic-containing material.